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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 3, 2006. Claims 1-81 are pending. Claims 1-81 were restricted under 35 USC § 121 as follows:

- I. Claims 1-23 and 81 are said to be drawn to a retroreflective laminate, classified in
   Class 428, subclass 40.1;
- II. Claims 24-80 are said to be drawn to a method of making a retroreflective laminate, classified in Class 264, subclass 1.9;

## Election

In response, Applicants elect Group I, without traverse. Applicants reserve the right to file divisional applications pertaining to the unelected subject matter.

Reconsideration and withdrawal or modification of the restriction requirement is respectfully requested.